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**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Tetsuya OUCHI et al.

Group Art Unit: 2646

Application No.: 10/634,885

Examiner: W. BRINEY III

Filed: August 6, 2003

Docket No.: 116787

For: IP TELEPHONE APPARATUS AND IP TELEPHONE SYSTEM

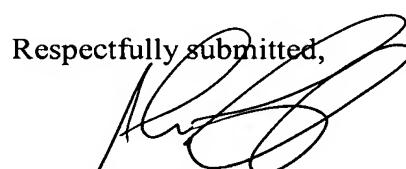
**STATEMENT OF TELEPHONE INTERVIEW**

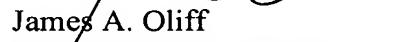
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Sir:

A telephone interview was conducted between Examiner Briney and Applicant's representative on February 16, 2006. Applicants appreciate the Examiner's agreement to amend claim 32 to remove any antecedent basis issues, thereby withdrawing the outstanding Advisory Action and placing the application in condition for allowance. As the application has been indicated as being allowable upon completion of the Examiner's Amendment, no further action is necessary until receipt of the Notice of Allowance.

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